

Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

PRODUCTION

Organic Poultry Slaughtered under Federal Inspection

Week Ending 04-26-14 Live weight in lbs.

	Current Week		Last Week	
	Head	Avg Wght	Head	Avg Wght
CHICKEN	280,764	5.77	239,752	5.45
TURKEY	0	0.00	0	0.00

Estimated Weekly Organic Table Egg Production

(does not reflect all organic production; estimates based on data collected from industry cooperators and other sources.)

Est. Layer Flock Size:	8,221,500 hens ^{1/}	
Est. Lay Rate:	74.8%	
Weekly Egg Production:	119,497 30-dozen cases	

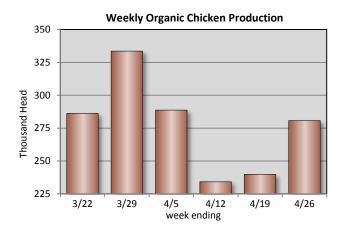
Weekly Organic Shell Egg Inventory

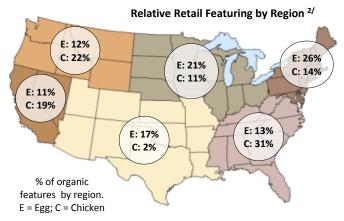
(stocks on hand on Apr-28-2014 to be marketed as Organic)

30-doz cases in 1,0	000's	% Change	Based on a
Large:	10.8	25.6%	representative sample of U.S.
Ungraded:	26.4	8.2%	inventory.
Total:	37.2	12.7%	

^{1/:} adjusted to reflect latest survey results - Aug 2013.

GRAPHS





Certified Organic are products grown and

WHOLESALE

Organic Brown Shell Eggs in Cartons

(price cents per carton delivered to first receivers)

		Price Range	Mostly	
Extra Large doz.		261 - 360	275 - 310	
	1/2 doz.	180 - 195	181 - 189	
Large	doz.	230 - 350	265 - 300	
	1/2 doz.	171 - 190	171 - 178	

Organic Young Chicken

(price cents per pound delivered to first receivers)

	Price Range	Mostly	
Whole Fryer	170 - 332	215 - 260	
B/S Breast	569 - 1008	660 - 894	
Bone-in Breast	360 - 575	367 - 476	
Whole Legs	188 - 219	199 - 209	
Thighs	195 - 392	209 - 311	

RETAIL

Store featuring during the week of 05/02 to 05/08

Advertised Prices for Organic Brown Eggs in Cartons (prices in dollars per dozen carton)

	Stores	Wtd Avg	Feature Rate
Extra Large:			18.3% of shell
Large:	1,590	4.12	egg features.

Advertised Prices for Organic Young Chicken

(prices \$/lb, fresh tray-pack product unless noted)

	Stores	Wtd Avg	Feature Rate
Whole Fryer	20	2.84	
Bnls/Sknls Breast	20	7.99	
Breast Tenders			
Split, bn-in Breast			0.7% of
Whole Wings			chicken features.
Legs			
Thighs	240	6.51	
Drumsticks	120	3.11	
Bnls/Sknls Thighs	30	6.12	

Graph Explanatory Notes:

2/: percentages reflect feature activity for organic poultry and eggs relative to the sample size of each region. Numbers may not add up due to rounding.

3/: Seasonal; non-basted, w/o net and timer; consumer sizes.